

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair-to-moderate and Saturday; light northerly winds.
Northern California: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Saturday.

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SECRETARY HAY'S NOTE TO POWERS

New Negotiations are Begun By This Country.

Urged That China Be More Leniently Dealt With.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The Secretary of State has addressed an identical note to the powers interested in the Chinese situation, setting out tersely and briefly the object of the United States Government as to China and pointing out how such objects are common to the powers.

The note marks the initiation of fresh negotiations on our part of the arrangement of new bases to tide over the impossible situation created at the last meeting of the Ministers in Peking.

Some responses already are at hand, and it is stated that generally our demands have been well received and the States Department expresses satisfaction with the progress so far achieved.

It is believed that the note is an appeal from the extreme course suggested by some of the powers as to the treatment of China, especially in the matter of punishments and indemnities to which the Ministers at Peking seem inclined. The intent is to push the negotiations along more rational and business-like basis.

TRIED TO KILL HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Mrs. Axx Had a Hand to Hand Battle With Her Husband.

He Mysteriously Disappeared and Cannot Be Found.

It developed today during the hearing before Judge Hall of the divorce suit of Gertude Axx against John Axx that the defendant had mysteriously dropped out of sight on the evening of preparing a defense to his wife's charges of cruelty.

He visited his attorney, W. H. Waste, three months ago, gave him the information which he presented to Mrs. Axx, Mrs. Axx's complaint, and left the office after promising to return the next morning.

Since that date nothing has been heard of him. Different search by his relatives, friends and Attorney Waste has failed to unearth the faintest clue as to his whereabouts. He had an engagement to work at Stanford University, but he never put in an appearance there.

When the case was called this morning Attorney Waste told the Court of the peculiar position in which he was placed by his client's disappearance, and asked for a continuance, which was denied.

The Axx family residence was at 209 Hears Avenue. The wife testified today that she and Axx were married June 25, 1885, and that two weeks after the wedding he commenced a system of abuse that made her married life miserable. His cruelty culminated, Mrs. Axx testified, in May of this year, when he made a savage attack upon her and their children with a razor, threatening to exterminate his family and then cut his own throat. There was a hand to hand struggle during which Mrs. Axx secured the razor and with her two children fled the house.

The next day Axx sold the contents of his house, even disposing of the clothing of his wife and children.

HIGHER RANK.

Kitchener Promoted So He Can Succeed Roberts.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Cabinet today decided to recommend Queen Victoria to make Major-General Lord Kitchener a Lieutenant-General so as to enable him to take over the supreme command in South Africa when Lord Roberts leaves the country.

OLD MOTHER IS CAST INTO POORHOUSE.

Cruel Daughters See Mrs. Davison Driven From Her Home.

Was Once a Lady in Waiting at the Court of Queen Victoria.

A story of two daughters' ingratitude to an aged mother developed today, when Mrs. C. Davison was taken from the County Infirmary to the Insane ward of the Recieving Hospital to be examined as to her mental condition.

Mrs. Davison is in her ninety-eighth year. She was once a lady in waiting at the court of Queen Victoria, and on the roster of the First Congregational Church of this city, with which Dr. J. R. McLean is identified, her name appears as the oldest member of the congregation.

Her daughters, who it is alleged, sent her to the hospital, practically disowning her and then endeavoring to conceal her whereabouts from her friends, are Mrs. Alexander Main of 1457 Fifth Avenue, East Oakland, whose husband is an expert accountant, and Mrs. Ethel Fox, whose residence is at 919 Park Avenue.

Had it not been for the interest members of the First Congregational Church took in her, and the practice had of visiting her on her birthday, she might have passed to the great beyond as a charge on the county and found a final resting place in a pauper's grave.

Her birthday is September 17th. This year she was not at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fox, when her friends called to offer their congratulations. They were told she was visiting in the country. One of the greatest admirers of the old lady, Mrs. Edward Thayer, suspecting something was wrong, instituted a search and finally located Mrs. Davison in the poorhouse.

The records of the Infirmary show that Mrs. Davison was admitted September 1st of this year. She was taken there by Mrs. C. Leavallant, her granddaughter, the child of Mrs. Fox.

The matron of the institution states that Mrs. Leavallant represented that the old lady had two daughters, but they had died recently.

The evident refinement and education of Mrs. Davison interested the attendants. While her extreme old age made her children, she had lucid intervals. On these occasions she would say to herself,

"Oh, Lillian, why did you do this? Why did you send your old mother to a place of this kind?"

By Lillian she referred to Mrs. Fox, her daughter. Frequently the old lady would talk incidentally of the sacrifices she had made for her children and the manner in which she had given them every educational advantage.

The attendants, with the statement of the granddaughter in mind, never suspected that the children of whom Mrs. Davison talked were alive and able to enjoy the luxuries of life in comfortable homes in East Oakland.

It was not until Mrs. Thayer drove out to the hospital a few days ago and found the old lady there that the facts became known.

The hospital authorities were horrified.

HEAVY DAMAGE

Fifty Thousand Dollars Lost by Storm in Los Angeles.

Says He Will Take a Six Month's Rest in Europe.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 23.—Railroad communication interrupted by the recent storm has been re-established to all points except San Diego. The Santa Fe people are working hard upon the big washouts between here and Fullerton, and the line to San Diego will probably be opened by tomorrow or next day.

Through trains from San Francisco and the East are now practically on time, and no further interruption is anticipated.

Street Superintendent Drain estimates the damage to the streets of Los Angeles at \$50,000.

A force of fifty men is engaged in repairing culverts and cleaning the streets, which will be restored to their normal condition in a very short time.

Two spans of the Santa Fe's bridge across the Santa Ana River were washed away during the storm, and it is safe to say that not less than \$50,000 damage resulted from the storm in this immediate vicinity.

WEAK GARRISON.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—Field Marshal von Waldersee cables that Colonel Yorck's column reached Fushun Hsia November 12th. The weak garrison immediately surrendered.

The column, commanded by Colonel Muellius, the dispatch adds, is proceeding simultaneously attacked a garrison of Fusiliers on Wile river but were beaten off with the loss of 120 men killed and wounded.

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BOERS HAVE THE BRITISH ON THE RUN

Gen. French is Hotly Pursued By Gen. Botha.

Entire Orange Free State Will Have to Be Reconquered.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Standard today, commenting on the report that General Botha, with his command, is close to De Wetshoek, regards the news as most disturbing, and says:

"We have heard many strange and unverifiable stories, but one thing we know, that French was pursued all the way from Middleburg to Standerton and got through the terrible Nek of the mountains only by the skin of his teeth."

The Star suggests that General Botha pursued the British, searched south and joined hands with General Dewet and thus Bloemfontein is endangered and the Orange Free State will have to be reconquered before the subduing of the Transvaal can be recommended.

In connection with the above a belated telegram today announced that General French arrived at Johannesburg November 11th.

KRUGER'S MEDAL

French City Presents Him With Hand-some Gift.

LYONS, France, Nov. 23.—There was a great demonstration here when Mr. Kruger's train arrived. The assistant Mayor welcomed the former President and presented him with a beautiful gold medal, especially prepared for the occasion. On one side was a woman representing the city of Lyons, and on the reverse the inscription, "The homage of the citizens of Lyons to President Kruger in remembrance of his heroic defense of the South African Republic."

Mr. Kruger, replying to the speech on the presentation of the medal, said:

"I am profoundly touched at the hearty respect and sympathy coming from entire France. Give my thanks to the Association of Lyons. It is a great cause which animates you. A cause for France and for all Europe to safeguard. I am firm in the conviction that our hopes will be realized. We are hoping with you."

Mr. Kruger stepped out of his carriage and walked towards the entrance of the station, which caused cheering to be redoubled. The crowd eventually broke through the police cordon, and Mr. Kruger regained his carriage with difficulty.

A FOUL MURDER

Italian in San Francisco Is Killed By Robbers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Giovanni Bartolomeo, an Italian, was found dead in a small alley in the business section today. His skull had been crushed in and his pockets, turned inside out, showed that robbery was the work of his murderers.

Bartolomeo was to have started for his home in Italy today and was doubtless in the possession of considerable money.

The police have no trace of the murderers.

SENATOR MASON ILL.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Senator William A. Mason of Illinois, who is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism, was reported worse today. He is unable to walk. The Senator has not been in the best of health for the past three years.

Mr. Mason declined to comment on the charges made against American jockeys, nor would he refer to the Scotchman's running at Doncaster until he knew the details. He eschewed politics wholly.

BOERS STILL FIGHT.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A special dispatch from Middelburg, Transvaal Colony, says that is the surprise of the outposts of the flots (Third Infantry) southwest of Balfour, November 16th, the Boers lost sixty men killed and wounded.

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simultaneously attacked a garrison of Fusiliers on Wile river but were beaten off with the loss of 120 men killed and wounded.

STORM DOWIE MEETING

LYME, England, Nov. 23.—The Yorkshire College students today mourned meeting of John Alexander Dowie, the Zionist of Chicago.

KENTUCKY'S MOVEMENTS.

NAPLES, Nov. 23.—The United States battleship Kentucky, which arrived here November 19th, sailed to-morrow for Smyrna.

SOLANO AND CONTRA COSTA WILL STAND.

Alameda County Delegation Does Not Favor Cutter's Congressional Plan.

WILLIAMS' TRIAL STILL IN PROGRESS

District Attorney is Making Closing Argument.

Will Probably Go to the Jury Tomorrow Morning.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 23.—District Attorney Ashley is making the closing argument today in the case of Captain Al Williams, charged with the murder of Conductor William Martin at the Stockton Hot Mineral Bath last August.

At 11:30 o'clock this morning, in response to a question by the Court, Mr. Ashley said he did not expect he would be able to close his argument today. Judge Jones stated that there was sickness in his family, and asked if Mr. Ashley would be able to conclude between 2 and 3 o'clock this evening. The District Attorney thought not. He desired, he said, to review the evidence very thoroughly.

The Judge remarked that he would like to give the instructions to the jury tomorrow morning while the case was fresh in his mind and also fresh in the minds of the jury.

At 11:30 a recess was taken to 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the District Attorney will continue his argument.

BRITISH BOND ISSUE.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The treasury has given notice of the issue of £2,000,000 per cent exchequer bonds, payable in 1905.

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10 inch Baltic Seal Collarette with Astrachan yoke and collar...	\$1.65
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10 inch Solid Astrachan Collarette....	\$1.95
10 inch Muflon Collarette, electric Seal yoke and collar....	\$2.95

FUR SCARFS.

Stone Marten Scarf, with 6 tails....	\$1.50
Better quality.....	\$2.00
Skin, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50	
Extra fine Brown Marten Scarf, with tails.....	\$3.50 to \$6.50
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years ago and had resided in California all that time. Her maiden name was Welsh. The witness stated that Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Mohr were her daughters and the only children she had living. She admitted that the old lady had a most kind disposition.

Then she took a new tack and stated she had noticed symptoms of insanity in her grandmother for some time.

Matron Dwyer of the Infirmary stated the old lady was not her home and would wander about the grounds looking for "Lillian's house," and that upon other occasions she would offer up prayers to forgive her daughter for the manner in which they had cast her off.

Dr. Nedro asked Mrs. Dawson something about her past history and she answered colorlessly considering her age.

At first she could not think of her name and when it came to her mind she seemed to think it was a huge joke that she had forgotten it. She laughed heartily over the matter.

Turning to her granddaughter she asked:

"Are you ashamed of me?"

The granddaughter colored up but did not answer.

Dr. Ewer asked why the old lady's daughters were not present. The granddaughter replied that they were too sick to be present.

"Are they sick in bed?" asked the doctor.

"Oh, no," was the reply, "but they just do not care to be here."

Dr. Ewer told her that the Judge would probably compel them to attend.

"Well, if he does, then they will have to come," I suppose,"

Dr. Nedro decided he would appeal to a Judge to compel the daughters to testify. Dr. Ewer then put the young woman through a searching examination. She said she had no money to assist the old lady, although she admitted that she never suffered for anything and even had a telephone in her house.

She said she did not care if her grandmother died in an incurable ailment.

The doctors were astounded at the ignorance of the granddaughter.

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best treatment at the home of her daughters."

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"I cannot order her committed," said the Judge. "I feel that the county must do its duty."

Judge Ogden then began to inquire into her family connections, and was astonished to learn that she had two daughters and two granddaughters. He said he could not send the old lady back to the infirmary, and that if her relatives were humane they would not ask for such action.

He then adjourned the hearing.

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UNUSUAL RUSH OF THE TAXPAYERS.

The rush at the City Tax Collector's office today was so great that it was sound necessary to detail an officer to keep watch and see that the taxpayers remained in line awaiting their turn at the window.

During every day this week the collections were unusually heavy and up to 1 o'clock the total of \$113,107.73 had been collected of the full amount, \$271,731.41 due for city taxes. This leaves \$130,527.41 yet to be gathered into the city treasury between now and next Monday at 6 p.m., when city taxes, as well as the first installment of state and county taxes, become delinquent.

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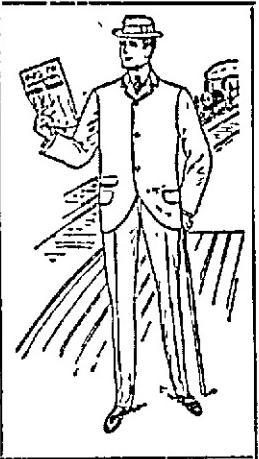
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REMEDY FOR THE LYNCHING EVIL.

Booker T. Washington
on the Colorado
Case.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
BOSTON, Nov. 22.—Booker T. Washington said last night regarding the recent lynching of a negro in Colorado that the same class of people who begin to break the law by lynching a negro will soon learn to break the law by lynching a white man.

"It's true," said Mr. Washington, "that the Colorado lynching emphasizes the fact that the only way to stop such outbreaks is in the first place to bring about such general education, not only in books, but in industry and thrift, as will make such acts as that which provoked the lynching fewer, and then to educate public sentiment up to the point where people in all parts of the country will see that we only can have the highest civilization if the law is enforced regardless of race or color."

"Wherever people begin to lynch for one kind of offense they are soon led in the temptation of lynching for any other kind of offense. Aside from the injustice that is perpetrated upon the individual put to death without a legal trial, we must bear in mind that there is a permanent degradation which comes to the individual who takes part in and witnesses such an outrage as occurred in Colorado."

OFFICIAL NEWS OF: THE ENDEAVORERS.

Mrs. Rude D. Mecke, the dramatic reader, will appear under the auspices of the County C. E. Union at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium, December 11th. Mrs. Mecke is a splendid dramatic reader, elocutionist and ventriloquist, and all who have heard her say she is very fine. Reserve Friday evening, December 11th, for this entertainment and you will enjoy a treat. The proceeds will go to the Seaman's Rest.

On New Year's Day there will be a baseball game between a team from the Berkeley City Union and the Alameda County Union. The proceeds will be given to the Seaman's Rest. The details will be printed later.

The marriage of E. L. Gregory, president of the Berkeley City Union, will take place Thanksgiving Day. The Endeavorers of the Alameda County Union offer their congratulations.

At the annual meeting of the Seaman's

Best last week, Kohler & Chase kindly donated the use of the piano. The workers greatly appreciated the kindness. This evening was pleasantly spent celebrating the first anniversary since the reorganization. The work is progressing in a most encouraging way.

MINSTREL SHOW AT WEST OAKLAND.

With anxious expectation the residents of West Oakland are waiting for the grand minstrel and vaudeville entertainment of Company P. L. C. C., to be held next Tuesday evening in the Auditorium on tenth between Peralta and Campbell streets.

The show promises to be a "topnotcher" in amateur theatricals, and will rival anything of its kind that has heretofore stood.

The excellent class of talent engaged for the occasion has already insured the overwhelming success of the cork impersonators.

Prominent among those who will contribute their services are: J. J. Burke, who will act as interlocutor; "Hickey Hynes" and "Sissy" Sheehan, the bone knockers; "Scipy" Long and "Salvadore" Douglas, trapeze executives; Monsieur Francisco Uzzone, the local bongo; Chas Parker, George T. Keane and Louis Lobe, who will render solo.

The vaudeville performers will consist of the following: Fred G. Jacobs, better known as "Lilien Jake," in his original dark-trimmed sketch and cane walk; Peter J. Tolson, the well known merchant of Bishop, Arizona, and formerly of Oakland, will sing. The chorus, under the capable direction of Messrs. Neumann and Douglass, the able minstrel and rag time instructors of San Francisco, is training faithfully for the performance. John P. Mullins, chairman of the Committee on Arrangements, has now completed the necessary preparations for the reception of the friends and followers of Co. P., and announces that all will be comfortably cared for. The committee consists of the following: David J. Tammey, James Reedy, A. J. Flynn, J. H. Long and J. H. Sheehan.

CHIRPS AT THE ATHENIAN CLUB.

The program for the Athenian Club smoker and chirps tomorrow evening will be as follows:

8:30 P. M., piano; 8:31 P. M., Parker comes; 8:32 P. M., more piano; 8:33 P. M., Parker goes; 8:34 to 11:30 P. M., intersected choruses; 8:35 to 11:30 P. M., more piano;

10:30 P. M., hot air; 10 to 12 P. M., airs by choruses; 11 P. M., most piano; 12 P. M., "Everything Goes."

Opening Chorus..... Bohemian-Athenians.

Prelude—"As I Goes"..... R. A. Britton.

Piano Solo..... Robert C. Newell.

Interlude—"How Goes It"..... J. E. Baker.

Bass Solo..... George H. Carleton.

Second Solo—"See How It Goes"..... H. P. Melvin.

Violin Solo..... Henry Heyman.

Tenor Solo..... Benjamin Clark.

Third Solo—"It Won't Go"..... Carl H. Abbott.

Cello Solo..... Frank Howard.

Postlude—"All Go"..... G. L. BELCHER.

Ad Infinitum..... Everybody "GET TOGETHER."

UNIVERSITY CLUB WILL HOLD MEETING.

The Oakland University of California Club will have its third meeting, which will be in the form of a dinner on Tuesday evening, in the parlors of the Unitarian Church. Harry Melvin will act as host. Professor Thomas R. Bacon will be the guest of honor. He will speak of the opportunities of the University in connection with our new foreign post-positions.

Charles S. Greene, President of the General Alumni Association, will present at this meeting his ideas for the erection of an alumni building at Berkeley.

The excitement not over

The rush at the drug stores still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and ever fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c. and 50c.



DAMAGE DONE AT POINT RICHMOND.

Tents Were Wrecked, and Houses
Were Shaken By the
Wind.

POINT RICHMOND, Nov. 22.—The storm Tuesday evening played havoc with tents and other frail structures erected by workmen and others. The losses are as follows: Mrs. McNally, railroad eating houses tent, provisions and household goods, value \$25; Santa Fe Railroad, bunk tent, value \$15; A. Higgins, tent and household goods, value \$20; William Ellis, tent and household goods, value \$20; F. Corkish, tent and household goods, value \$20; F. N. Lovett, household goods, value \$20; Santa Fe Railroad, skylight at station east yards, value \$10; Frank Strubel, barn and hay, value \$20; G. Flanagan, tent and household goods, value \$20; Wm. Flanagan, tent and house-hold goods, value \$15; Wm. Bonner, tent and household goods, value \$15; Chas. A. Cox, tent and household goods, value \$10; T. W. Terry, tent and household goods, value \$15; Thos. R. Maguire, tent, papers, etc., value \$10; Louis Strubel, tent value \$15; J. Thurler, tent and household goods, value \$25; damage to glass in waiting room Santa Fe Railroad, \$15; Thompson Bridge and Construction Company, damage to pile driver, \$20; C. A. Odell, frame-house, value \$20.

The storm, which blew from the south-east, began at 6:45 P. M., and the velocity of the wind gradually increased until 10 o'clock, when it reached its highest point about sixty miles an hour.

Through the kindness of Frank Crittett many of the homeless people took refuge in the Crittett Hotel. Wyatt & Shaw kindly tendered the use of their hotel near the round-house to Mrs. McNally until such time as her hotel on the Nichols site is completed.

The gins on the pile-driver of Thompson Bros. were broken at the bottom and fell into the bay. A number of piles belonging to the same parties were set adrift, but the major portion of them have been recovered.

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Messrs. Wickliffe and Montgomery have dissolved partnership. Mr. Montgomery will continue the business at the old stand in the Strubel Building.

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Mr. Tippie and Mr. Scott are erecting a cottage on the Henshaw-Rutledge tract.

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California—Royal Marine Band of Italy.
Tunefon Park—it's been today.

FRIDAY.....NOVEMBER 23, 1900

Croker is said to personally pull all the strings in the New York police department. That fact alone entitles him to be classified as a "star" performer in political elects.

The East ought to have been well prepared for that storm anyhow, in view of the way Bryan has been blowing and blustering around that part of the country during the past few months.

The fact that the United States Government has decided to make a naval demonstration at Thanksgiving time in order to collect that little bill from Turkey is significant, to say the least.

A committee has been appointed to collect funds to defray the heavy expenses that will be incurred in defending the America's cup. Raising the wind is evidently as great an essential before the race is called as when the contest itself is in progress.

Leather belt makers are talking of raising prices, as they claim that they cannot make both ends meet. Lots of their female patrons find the same difficulty, especially in those instances where, despite increasing avoidups, they are trying to retain their girlish figures.

The storm showing for 1900 promises to be a record-breaker. Starting in with the Galveston disaster and continuing with the havoc wrought this week, the damage list will indeed be one with "billions in it" without figuring on the possibilities of the month yet to come.

Train robbers held up an express car near St. Louis Wednesday night and only secured \$500. That's a poor evening's work, for it isn't enough to pay the retainer the lawyers will charge if by any chance the bandits are captured and become themselves held up in turn by the legal fraternity.

A WELCOME DOWNPOUR.

Despite the discomforts occasioned by the storm and its incident havoc the people of California have every reason to be grateful for the downpour. The entire State from San Diego to Del Norte has been thoroughly drenched and the mountainous sections have received more than their usual allotment of snow which insures a plentiful flow for the rivers and streams which have their source in the higher altitudes. Not for many years has the State been favored with such a downpour and it was greatly needed, for while the average rainfall for the past two or three years has been sufficient to carry the ordinary field crops to maturity it did not suffice for the orchard sections where in many instances artificial irrigation had to be resorted to. The horticulturists have stood in need of a big downpour and the soil lacked sadly the subsoaking which this rain has afforded. Barreling the possibility of those natural mishaps in the way of late frosts or inopportune winds from the north there is every reason to figure upon one of the greatest harvest yields ever recorded in the annals of the State. There is a good market afforded for every thing we can raise and the California produce ought to have well-filled pocket book at the end of the season. In our extra good year we have unusual prosperity. The former invests his surplus gains in improvements, additional machinery and other articles which materially increase the volume of trade and mean putting plenty of money into circulation and road times and prosperity for everybody. The first year of the new century certainly gives indications of an auspicious beginning and promises to confer more than the customary blessing upon the Golden State.

THE BUFFALO EXPOSITION.

The officials in charge of the proposed Pan-American Exposition to be held at Buffalo during the coming summer are sanguine that there will be at least twenty-five million admissions, or one-half as many as passed through the portals of the great fair just closed in Paris. While the people of Buffalo are not making any undue noise over their efforts to make the forthcoming Exposition a success, they are nevertheless making ample preparations to provide for the anticipated enormous throngs of visitors. Over a score of large hotels are under construction, and the street railways are expending fortune in increasing their facilities. The exposition project has put new life and energy into the Buffalonians and they do not propose to be found wanting in anything that will contribute toward making the affair one of the greatest successes of modern times.

The Exposition will in a measure be a reflex of the Pan-American exhibition with the addition of many features characteristic of this continent. The South American countries have all entered into the proposition, and from the preparations that those countries are already making a grand display of the varied resources of Spanish America will be one of the most entertaining and instructive features of the show. Comparatively little is known of our own steamship sphere. We know all about Europe and Asia, but to the great majority South America is a sealed book, and yet our relations with the countries below the Equator are, or ought to be, more intimate than with those of the old world. The Buffalo Exposition will in all likelihood serve to ripen this acquaintance, and the exhibits will force upon us an appreciation of the untold resources of the Spanish-American republics. These fairies while following each other in rather tiresome succession nevertheless serve a useful purpose from the standpoint of instruction and at the same time rid us of that spell of insulation which is one of the peculiarities of the human family when kept from fraternizing with others. So next year the cry will be "on to Buffalo" and it is to be hoped that it will resound all around the globe.

COMPLICATIONS IN CHINA.

After peace had apparently gained the upper hand in the Chinese complications, it now looks as if the disturbing elements were once more to assume the ascendancy, for the old demands for a partition of the empire are being advanced, this time in a manner that savors more of serious results than upon any other occasion since the matter was first broached. Where the danger exists is that the demands are now based upon reason for the annoying complications is that China is unable to meet the indemnity demand of the Powers.

Primarily it must be conceded that China should be mulcted in damages and in big ones too. No matter what particular individuals or organizations were responsible for the attacks upon the foreigners, the fact remains that the Chinese government must shoulder the responsibility and assume all the bills. This much being admitted, it can be seen what a terrific financial complication confronts the Mongolian government for, if in the case of Japan alone a few years ago it had to pay an indemnity of \$200,000,000, what will the amount be now with half a dozen nations on her hands. An idea of what this means is conveyed by the fact that Germany alone claims to have already incurred an expense of \$50,000,000 in China for sending troops, military stores, equipments, ammunition, etc., and this is simply the actual outlay without figuring a cent for exemplary damages for the murder of her missionaries, destruction of property and so forth. All the other nations are practically in the same fix, so the figures become appalling when an attempt is made to get an aggregate total.

As it seems impossible, therefore, that China can carry the financial burden that will be imposed upon her, the powers have suggested that the best way out of the difficulty is for each to take so much in lieu of their claims. This is a plausible and in truth a logical way of reaching the conclusion they originally planned, and it looks as if such a proposal will be put through on account of the sheer lack of finding any other way out of the difficulty. The threatened danger in the Far East seems nearer, therefore, than has been imagined, and Uncle Sam will need all his diplomatic skill to keep his hands clean in the mix-up that is sure to ensue. However, with McKinley and the Republican party at the helm, we at least have the satisfaction of knowing that our interests could not be in better hands.

A San Francisco man has just gone bankrupt to the tune of \$25,000 with assets of but \$25, and declares that his difficulties are due to the financial crash of 1903. It either took him a long time to discover what was bothering him, or else he was a past master in the art of standing off creditors—or at least that is the only conclusion that can be drawn from his statement.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A smile is the reflection of a light heart.

Charitable men distribute a lot of free silver.

A bad earler mixing mortar is a sublime character.

The crying of children in bed is one kind of sheet music.

Annoy is doubly painful when wit is used as a conveyance.

Some men are brave in great dangers and cowards in little ones.

Hens are the most cheerful of fowls, yet they brood a good deal.

Never Judge physicians by the praise undertakers bestow upon them.

Man was made to mourn and woman was made to see that he keeps it up.

Wife is the man who makes all he can, saves all he can and gives all he can.

Society is, after all, but a conglomerated mixture of mysteries and miseries.

The world is not ruled by the so-called rulers, but by the people who make the rulers.

Every time a small boy gets a whiff of the odor arising from the kitchen he proceeds to get hungry.

If unable to decide whether to buy or hire horse, bear in mind that of two evils you should choose the lesser.

The St. Louis barber who pinned a newspaper around a customer's neck and gave him a towel to read was just a trifle absent-minded.

If a woman has only three lines to write on a sheet of note paper she can't resist the temptation of writing two of them on the side margin and signing her name upside down over the date.

It Was the Bull.

A capital story relating to good old times is still told in the pea district of the eastern counties. As is well known by many, and even now remembered by some, a bass viol was often procured to help the choirs in parish churches.

One lonely moaning in the summer, while the parson was droning out his dreary discourse, and had about reached the middle, a big bull managed to escape from his pasture and marched majestically down the road, bellowing defiantly as he came.

The parson, who was somewhat deaf, heard the bull bellow, but mistaking the origin of the sound, gravely glanced toward the singers' seats and said, in tones of reprobation:

"I would thank the muselman not to tune up during service time—it annoys me very much."

As may be well imagined the choir looked greatly surprised but said nothing.

Very soon, however, the belligerent bull gave another bellow and then the aggrieved parson became desperately indignant.

"Now," said he, stopping short in his discourse, "particularly request Mr. Brown not to tune his instrument while I am preaching."

This was more than the fiddler could stand.

"It's the old bull's instrument," snipped out that worthy, popping up from his seat: "It's not mine"—Cassell's.

Black Diamonds.

Black diamonds are comparatively rare and correspondingly high priced. They are three or four times as hard as white ones and fire cannot harm them, however great the heat, but if a drop of water should touch them while heated they will explode and leave nothing but a little heap of sand in their place.

Their beauty is not remarkable, but on account of their extreme hardness they are invaluable for dressing surfaces impervious to the friction of any other material. The largest black diamonds are set in the end of a round, soft bar of steel, with a handle of wood, and are used in dressing emery wheels that have lost their "trueeness." A black diamond is the only substance that will not be ground away in contact with the emery surface.

Black diamonds are also used as points in scoring pencils, which are used by scales of weights and measures to mark glass receptacles. They are used by dentists for drilling teeth before filling them with gold. In appearance they look more like a shining little splinter of iron or grain of coal than a precious gem, and their chief mission is distinctly commercial and not an ornamental one.

The Hamfat Reminiscences.

At Brighton Beach I met Mrs. Rosenthal who was organizing a one-night "Faust" company for a job.

"What part do you take?" he inquired shortly.

"I wish to take the part of Mephistopheles," I answered, drawing myself up proudly, for I had on a new suit of clothes and could afford to look him in the face.

"And why do you wish to take this particular part?" he inquired.

I was amazed at his dullness, but concealing my disgust as far as possible I explained that it was because the devil always gets his dues. He seemed pleased at my response, wrote out a \$200 per week contract, and paid me my first week's salary of \$7.50 in advance. I played the devil in "Faust" until nearly the end of the season, after which I was cast in "The Foundry," a workingman's play—Indiana's Sun.

A trite lawyer is like a man troubled with insomnia—he lies first on one side, then on the other, and is wide awake the whole time.—Chicago News.

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Suits made to order; highest class of tailor finish, your choice of any latest style. Prices from \$12.50 up.

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Lustrous silk waist, perfect fitting, prices from \$3.95 to \$7.00.

The McCall Patterns have proved very popular. Look out for holiday number of McCall's magazine—it is a beauty.

Price 5 cents—ready December 1. Subscibe now for year for 30 cents, if taken over a counter. One free pattern with every subscription.

Kab Bust can be worn either Perfector or without a corset. Will give the wearer a perfectly natural and most

beautiful form. Made so as to be adjusted to any figure.... Price \$1.00.

Cake Walk Cush- These are the ion Tops very newest thing in cushion tops. They are going fast. Also new large Indian heads, Saint Cecilia and sweet Marie. Price 60 cents.

Scores of patterns of cushion tops to select from at 15 cents to \$1.50.

Sample Line of Woolen Goods One of the latest shipments of desirable goods is a large line of samples of knit woolen goods including splendid line of fascinators and shawls. They are in all shades, beautifully knitted and serviceable.

Those Straight Front Corsets everybody desiring to appear dignified, erect and to have a perfect form. Thomas' Glove fitting Straight Fronts at \$1.00 to \$2.00 Warner's Rust Proof Straight Front..... \$1.25

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BURGHERS FED ON FAIRY TALES.

Weird Stories are Told Them By General Dewet.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire KNOXSPRINT, Orange River Colony, Thursday, Nov. 22.—General Bruce Hamilton's column arrived here yesterday after securing the Lindley and Heilbron districts, the troops brought in a number of prisoners.

The latter relate the assurances they received at Thaba N'Chaka from General Dewet a fortnight ago. Dewet, they say, urged the Burgthers to hold out until December 10th, when "all the British were going home." This utilized the British had the command of Russia to fight for only a month Queen Victoria was at Cape Town, where she had met to escape the Chinese, who had captured most of England; that General Smith had driven the British out of the Transvaal and had taken Pietermaritzburg; that Dewet himself was fighting in Capetown Colony, burning farms, and that Lord Roberts, wounded by three bullets, had been taken to Heilbron to die and had been buried there beneath the Town Hall.

CHIEF HODGKINS IS STILL A SICK MAN.

Chief of Police Hodgkins has not yet fully recovered from his recent attack of illness. It is feared that he ventured out too soon after the operation he underwent, to resume his official duties, and as a result of this, and the fact that he has been kept exceedingly busy ever since, there may be a relapse, the recurrence of which he stands in daily dread. The Chief arrived at his office this morning with considerable difficulty. He complained of being sick and was compelled to leave early for his home.

UNION MEN WON THE DAMAGE CASE.

A Jury in Justice Quinn's court returned a verdict in favor of the Clerkmakers' Union yesterday in the damage suit filed against the organization by Harry Goldier. The jury stood 9 to 3, Goldier, who owns a cigar manufacture at Fifteenth street and San Pablo avenue, claims his goods were boycotted because he did not employ union labor.

MUCH HOSE FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Of the 650 feet of hose ordered by the Board of Works for the use of the Fire Department, thirty-seven hundred feet have arrived from Bowers, San Francisco, Boston Woven Hose Company, and a New York firm. The remaining 500 feet are almost daily expected to arrive from the Gutta Percha & Rubber Manufacturing Company, which a few days ago was granted an extension until December 25th in which to deliver the goods.

BROKE A WINDOW AND PAID A FINE.

Ralph Bay, a young hostler, who bumped his arm through a window pane at Fisher's restaurant yesterday, pleaded guilty in the Police Court this morning to a charge of malicious mischief and was fined 15 which he promptly paid.

WILL IT BECOME POPULAR

How Do You Like This New Fad?

Vegetarians, anti-coffee drinkers and food cranks of every description must take a back seat for a new fad has the floor.

A society has recently been formed, the members of which pledge themselves to eat no food whatever that has been cooked. They claim that uncooked food is the only rational healthful diet; that our remote ancestors ate no cooked food and therefore if we do the same, vigor and health will be our reward.

Raw meat, raw potatoes, raw wheat, raw eggs, raw everything, is the enticing bill of fare held out to the enthusiastic food crank of the future and the society proposes to establish restaurants in the larger cities where this delightful menu may be served daily.

Modern cooking is often a dyspeptic producer, because we fry so many foods which should be baked, roasted, broiled or boiled; fried food is indigestible because each particle of food is incased in hot grease which the digestive juices of the stomach can not easily penetrate; but properly cooked food is more easily digested than the same food uncooked and we prefer for the new fad a very limited following.

The real cause of indigestion is the lack of Hydrochloric acid and pepsin. In the stomach so that no matter how well cooked the food, it can not be well digested unless the gastric juice is abundant and contains the necessary amount of pepsin to digest the food.

Therefore the most sensible cure for poor digestion is to take after each meal some safe and reliable, digestive like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which supply pepsin to digest the meat and eggs and disease to digest the bread, potatoes and similar starchy foods.

Laxative medicines never cure indigestion because they have no digestive effect whatever upon the food; on the other hand if the food is properly digested there will be no need of laxatives; good digestion drives away constipation.

The First Free Baptist Church will give its new pastor, Rev. M. H. Babcock, a reception tonight at the church, Twenty-first street between San Pablo avenue and Brush streets. The program has been arranged by the Ladies' Auxiliary Society and includes music, recitations, short speeches and light refreshments. All friends of the church are invited.

HASTINGS COLLEGE WON THE DEBATE.

BERKELEY, Nov. 22.—The Hastings Law College won the debate last night with the Students' Congress of the University of California.

The debate was held at Stiles Hall, the breeding office being J. H. Stichbury and the judges Frederik Barton, Archibald Cloud and E. Myron Wolf. The question was: "Resolved, That municipalities should own and operate plants for the supply of light, water and surface transportation?"

The law college had the affirmative, with R. E. Hudson, Walter Rothschild and F. B. Atkin, and the Students' Congress had the negative, with Alexander Adler, D. S. McGarry and Monroe L. Dutch in charge.

MACDONOUGH'S COMEDY TREAT.

"A Stranger in New York," which comes to the Macdonough next Monday and Tuesday evenings, has been playing to a big business all the week at the Columbia Theater in San Francisco. The "Stranger" is an entertainment that appeals to all classes and seems to have struck the keynote of the public taste.

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BIG HOUSES GREET THE ELECTRICIAN.

Few vacant seats have been visible at the Dewey this week, as the popularity of "The Electrician" seems to increase with each performance. The combination of exciting plot and marvelously realistic stage effects makes a strong play, and the presentation of the Dewey Company leaves nothing to be desired in the way of acting. The scenes are mostly laid in the Cripple Creek mining district, and the humor of frontier life lends pleasing variety to the performance.

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I will guarantee that my Kidney Cure will cure 90 per cent. of all forms of kidney complaint and is in many instances the most serious form of disease. It is complicated and a four-ounce vial of urine. We will analyze it and advise you free what to do.

MUNSON.

At present \$2.50, a vial and medical advice free.

MANCHESTER ARE COMING.

Duke and His Bride Sail Tomorrow for New York.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Duke and Duchess of Manchester will sail for New York on the liner *St. Louis* on Saturday, says a Journal and Advertiser dispatch from London. The Duke's grandmother, the Duchess of Devonshire, has sent him the most cordial message of congratulation.

As the Duchess of Devonshire is most powerful socially in England and rich, her action, it is thought, assures the success of the young American Duchess in British society.

STATE SUPERINTENDENT VISITS THE SCHOOLS.

Thomas J. Kirk, State Superintendent of Public Instruction is visiting in Oakland for a day or two as the guest of City School Superintendent McClymonds. During this forenoon Superintendent Kirk, accompanied by Superintendent McClymonds, visited some of the Oakland schools, and those at Fruitvale.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been a favorite, testing, it allays all pain, cures wind colts and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

If You Have Never Had a GOOD PHOTOGRAPH GO TO BELLE-OUDRY, ON 13TH ST., NEAR WASHINGTON.

Bo a Lucky One

By getting your Occidental Oil stock at 25 cents before noon, last at 1 P. M. After that hour it goes to \$2.50 a share. See Moran & Goldberg, 11 Ninth St. Phone Grove 26.

The Hammann department for ladies and gentlemen at the Piedmont Arms are the most elaborate and luxuriously fitted up of any this side of Chicago. Piedmont cars.

TWENTY-FOUR SOLID OAK BED ROOM SUITS with French plate in king sizes at a bargain. Corner 11th and Franklin sts. H. Schellhaas.

For the Best

Go to the French Liquor Store of P. Fontaine, 115 San Pablo avenue. The purest wines direct from his Livermore cellar. Also the finest liquors.

PARIS BED SOFA—Only six feet. See at corner 11th and Franklin sts. H. Schellhaas' store.

Cafe Bohemia.

60-62 Twelfth street, near Broadway. Palat beer on draught. Fine commercial lunch daily. Men about all hours a la carte Banquet room for private parties. Imported Beers. Concert every evening. Felix Wurster and C. H. Kueker prop.

FLANNELETTE CLOTHES

Great Trustee Shoe Sale

962 WASHINGTON ST.

Between Ninth and Tenth

We are going to place on sale today and tomorrow a line of Men's, Women's, Boy's and Children's shoes that will be the talk of Oakland. Never has there been such a sale of footwear in Oakland before. A new success of leather.

The Zeiner Calf—Lady's Zeiner Calf Shoe, leather-lined, worth \$2.50, on sale tomorrow..... \$1.45

Ladies' Box Calf—Golf Shoe, water proof, high top, just the shoe to wear with short skirts, worth \$3.50, at..... \$2.15

Ladies' Box Calf, spring heels, just the shoe for winter, on sale for

\$1.65 pair. Ladies' Dongola Kid, vesting top or kid, the new toe, with military heel, worth \$2.50, at..... \$1.95

Ladies' Vlet Kid, extra heavy extension sole stock or patent leather tip; they are good value at

\$1.50 on sale..... \$1.45

Special Sale on Children's and Boys' Shoes tomorrow, Saturday, 200 pairs Children's Red Shoes and slippers at..... 45¢

Children's Kangaroo calf lace shoes, heavy extension sole, at..... 75¢

Children's fine Dongola lace or button at..... 75¢

Boys' heavy school shoes at..... 75¢

Boys' Alaska seal extension sole, waterproof, at..... \$1.50

Men's Alaska seal shoe, heavy extension sole, at..... \$2.45

300 pairs of Men's fine hand-sewed shoes in Vlet Kid and box calf, tan and black. These are samples; there are not all sizes but if you can get a pair to fit you can have them for..... \$2.45

(Worth \$3 and \$6.)

The real cause of indigestion is the lack of Hydrochloric acid and pepsin. In the stomach so that no matter how well cooked the food, it can not be well digested unless the gastric juice is abundant and contains the necessary amount of pepsin to digest the food.

Therefore the most sensible cure for poor digestion is to take after each meal some safe and reliable, digestive like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which supply pepsin to digest the meat and eggs and disease to digest the bread, potatoes and similar starchy foods.

Laxative medicines never cure indigestion because they have no digestive effect whatever upon the food; on the other hand if the food is properly digested there will be no need of laxatives; good digestion drives away constipation.

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BRANCH OFFICES

Classified advertisements and subscriptions placed at any of the following branch offices will be promptly forwarded to the main office.

ALAMEDA.

L. A. FIELD'S Stationery Store, 1525 Park street.

VOLHARD'S Drug Store, 1501 Webster street.

MRS. HIGGS' News Stand, Bay Station.

R. J. SMITH'S News Stand, 225 Santa Clara Avenue.

BERKELEY.

J. GIBSON'S Blue and Gold Restaurant, 217 Center street. Simple copy free with each meal.

EDWARD BROS., New P. O. Building, Shattuck Avenue.

MOHR'S News Stand, 1200 Shattuck Avenue.

W. H. LOND'S Drug Store, 2351 Shattuck Avenue.

MRS. LONG'S Restaurant, 225 Toegraph Avenue.

WOLF'S Drug Store, 77 University Avenue, West Berkeley.

OAKLAND.

HAHN'S New Men's Store, Seventh and Market st., West Oakland.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. Building, 242 Telegraph Avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART Drug Store, Junction of San Pablo Avenue and Fourteenth Street.

JACOB'S PHARMACY, 175 Seventh Street, West Oakland.

A. LE LEHES' Drug and Stationery Store, 625-631 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERNER'S Grocery, Thirteenth Street and Telegraph Avenue.

WINTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth and Fourteenth Street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES

DON'T WAIT till rainy weather; get your house painted now. Send for S. C. L. King, 767 Ninth st., tel. blue 44; res. 823 Trinity-fourth 44.

FREE-Gentle leather ticket and card holders. Mihns & Kallenbach, 23 Market street, San Francisco.

FOR "Up-to-date Signs" see ALTDORF, 24 San Pablo ave., cor. Clay and Seventeenth st.; Tel. green 434.

ALAMEDA Window Cleaning Company, room 15, 107 Broadway, Oakland, agents for the Sanitary Dust Layer. Hours and walls scrubbed; janitor work, etc.

Try the Standard Dust Layer, 107 Broadway, a clean efficient, fast labor and sparkling and keeps a floor free from microbes. Phone 524 Black.

DAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 511 Market st., room 102, box 8, S. W. Court, Twelfth and Broadway; clearing snow, etc., looking glasses, windows, painting, scrubbing, etc., contracts by week or month, phone 512 mult. G. Ligone, b.

ELEGANT up-to-date S. F. house; central heat, air, etc., fast labor and sparkling and keeps a floor free from microbes. Phone 524 Black.

PERSONALS

MRS. C. A. VIVIAN and MRS. E. CHATEMAN, S. M. Military and Dressmaking Contractors; ladies own mantles made up in latest Eastern styles by our milliner, making over a specialty. See Twenty-seventh st., near San Pablo.

Mrs. ISLAND, DETECTIVE—Several years' experience in detective service, work attended to promptly. See Franklin st., Oakland, Cal.

MADAME SODAN, world renowned card reader, and palmist, room 17, Lester House, 635 st. st.; truth or no tell?

VANDERHOOF'S Optical Home Treatment for female troubles. Ten day treatment free. Call on address Mrs. A. J. Dyer, manager branch office, 215 Summit street.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

EX-1317 good match cases \$2 net; drive, the mare, 310-1412 Watson Ave., Cor. Summer, Temescal. Phone black 812.

BARGAIN—1053 first class upright piano, must sell, 402nd Adeline st., Oakland.

EMERISON square and the upright pianos at auction on account of departure. Address, box 77, Tribune.

NEW HOUSE—Modern home, 7 rooms, fire place, hall and bath. Contains in lot and two car lots, 2512 Twelfth ave.; key at 102.

NEW CLEAN \$20 grocery stock for sale at less than wholesale price; must sell this week; good business. See Twenty-second st.

YOUNG, gentle, fresh cow for sale. Tel. Grove st.

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PIANO for sale cheap. Apply southwest corner 12th and West st.

FOR SALE—Two fine family horses, or a team. Eighth and Harrison st.

FOR SALE—Barney 9 in. lathe and lot of bicycle tools. Call bet. 3 and 5, at 525 Twelfth st.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pair of opera glasses, Tuesday evening, left at Paramount, 1st and 14th Street, San Francisco. Return to G. T. Thirtieth st., this office.

LOST—A brown Dachshund, Krupin, return to Bert. Mehn, cor. Lake and Jackson st., reward.

FOUND—Skiff on Berkeley shore; 16 feet long; white outside, hide inside; new sail, oars on top of mast. Call H. C. Olsen, 23 Little st., N. Oakland, Cal.

LOST OR STRAYED—From 1050 Sixteenth st., young cocker spaniel; shedding coat; reward.

FOUND—Deerhound (bitch), black with brown points. Owner please identify at Paston Stables between 7 and S. P. M. Tel. 242.

LOST—White enamel pin in shape of St. George's cross; set with pearls. Return to 241 Cole Ave., Berkeley, and receive reward.

PARTIES finding three diamond rings tied up in handkerchief pieces return to Mrs. S. W. Howland, 104 Broadway, lost on Tuesday, November 13th; reward and no questions.

LOST—Red locker spaniel, male, aged 8 months. Return to T. R. Hutchinson, 550 Eighth st.; reward.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY

DR. A. H. CHAMPOUD, late senior professor Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago, has removed to corner Twelfth and Filbert st., telephone Pine 61.

ADAMS, DR. F. L., office Central Bank building, 11th and Broadway; hours, 10 to 11 A. M. to 4 to 5 p. m.; tel. Grove 321; 2 to 20 P. M.; 125 to 8 P. M.; tel. 263 black; residence, 116 Filbert st.; tel. 263 red.

DR. H. E. MULLEN, physician and surgeon; office, 1155 Broadway; rooms 212; 2 to 20 P. M.; 125 to 8 P. M.; tel. 263 black; residence, 116 Filbert st.; tel. 263 red.

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MANDARIN RULE IS REPUDIATED.

South China Villagers Refuse to Pay the Taxes.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—One thousand black flags have returned to Canton, where he will arrive at 5:20 P. M.

Extensive police precautions were taken this morning. Detachments of policemen were massed along the route from the hotel to the station, but Mr. Kruger's departure took place without any disturbance.

The French are extremely active, relying on the visits of the mandarins as an effective means of settling indemnities. Three gunboats remain at Shan Tuk to enforce their claim of 150,000 taels. The mandarins offer 60 per cent, which has not been accepted. There are fears of fresh outbreaks of disaffection.

INSURGENTS ARRESTED.

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MANILA, Nov. 23.—Doroton Karrahdag, an insurgent Lieutenant-Colonel, and Manudo Lazaro, who, it is said, was General Torres' quartermaster, have been arrested in Batacan province. Karrahdag had previously been arrested and paroled.

PAUL KRUGER WELL RECEIVED BY FRENCHMEN

Thanks the Citizens for the Reception Accorded Him.

Hopes to Maintain His Cause in the Transvaal.

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MARSELLES, Nov. 23.—Though the enthusiasm attending Kruger's departure from Marselles was not so boisterous and there was no such crowd present as awaited him on the quay when he landed yesterday from the "Gelderland," he had no reason to complain of any diminution of warmth of the reception of the people of Marselles.

Kruger was up at an early hour and was ready and waiting when his landau reached the hotel to convey him to the railroad depot. Amidst the cheering of a large assemblage the former President of the Transvaal entered his carriage at 9 o'clock and was driven to the station. He was accompanied by Dr. Leyds and Moers, Peterson, Wessels, Bloff, Fischer, Van Hammel, Rumband and Heymons. Just before the departure of the train Mr. Kruger appeared on the steps of the railroad carriage, to the shouts of the crowd, and said:

"Citizens of Marselles: I thank the people of Marselles for its warm welcome. I trust I shall find the same enthusiastic sympathy in all the cities in which I am going to travel through, and I hope it will be followed by actions which will continue to assist us and result in abetting our cause."

As the train left at 9:30 A. M. a great cry arose, Mr. Kruger will spend the night at Nijm, where he will arrive at 5:20 P. M.

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TWO TRAMPS KILLED.

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SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 23.—A strange accident on the Northern Pacific last night near Connell resulted in the death of two men. The side stakes of a flat car loaded with telegraph poles gave way, letting two poles roll to the ground. When the trainmen went to pick them up the bodies of two tramps were found under the poles. Who they were or how they happened to be caught is not known, but it is thought the were stealing a ride on top of the load of poles when the stakes broke.

Population of South Carolina.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The population of South Carolina, as announced today, is 1,345,316, against 1,151,149 in 1890, an increase of 194,167, or 16.4 per cent.

TWO CITIES ARE IN STATE OF TERROR.

Citizens of Panama and Colon Fear an Attack.

Rebels Fighting Hard and Slaughtering Regular Troops.

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KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 23.—The British steamer "Burman," which has just arrived here from Colon, reports that severe fighting occurred Monday and Tuesday at Culverton.

The government forces attacked the rebels, who occupied a good position, with the result that the losses of the former were heavy.

The fighting was proceeding when the steamer left Tuesday night.

The stores and restaurants at Colon were closed and the rebels held a portion of the railroad line.

Another rebel force was reported to be engaging the government troops near Panama.

Business is entirely suspended at the latter place, and both Panama and Colon are in a state of terror.

The rebels are attacking in a determined manner, and it is feared the slaughter will be great before decisive results are reached. The Liberals, it is asserted by the passengers of the "Burman," still hold Buena Ventura, though the Colombian government is making a great effort to regain possession of it.

HE ROBBED WOMEN.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Chester H. Lawrence Jr., a member of the Consolidated Stock Exchange, made an announcement today to George H. Underhill:

Aheng Lawrence's customers were many women, and a number of them became hysterical in his office when the announcement was made. Lawrence, who had five offices in this city, is said to have been in difficulties for several weeks and his troubles were brought to a head by a customer, who has had Lawrence and Edward B. Underhill, his office manager, summoned to court on the accusation of withholding her money and bands and refusing to give her an immediate settlement.

"Senator Davis slept uninterruptedly about seven hours last night. Is not quite so strong this morning. Temperature, 99.5°; pulse, 112; respiration, 30."

She Struck an Attorney.

The case of Melinda Porter, charged with battering Attorney Ogleby on the 12th inst., was continued in the Police Court this morning until December 4th for trial by jury.

Continued for Sentence.

The case of Lewis Martensen, convicted of petty larceny, was again continued in the Police Court this morning until November 26th for sentence.

She Appeals the Case.

Kate Barrett, by her attorneys, B. McFadden and A. Boyer, has filed notice of appeal from the judgment of foreclosure rendered against her in the Superior Court.

PHYSICIAN GIVES LIFE FOR SCIENCE

Proves That Mosquitoes Carry Yellow Fever Germs.

Allows Himself to Be Bitten and Dies of Disease.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Tribune says:

It is understood that a report concerning the investigations of the acute infectious diseases prevalent in Cuba will soon be made to Surgeon General Sternberg.

This report, it is declared, will show that mosquitoes are largely responsible for the spread of yellow fever in Cuba and that a physician who experimented on himself to determine whether yellow fever germs had been infected into his system by a mosquito that had bitten a person afflicted with yellow fever.

It will also show, it is said, that another physician who experimented in a similar manner was stricken with yellow fever but recovered. Dr. Jesse W. Lazear is said to have been the physician who succumbed to the disease, and Dr. James Carroll was the one who recovered. Drs. Carroll and Lazear were stationed in Cuba at the time of the experiments.

MILK TO BE TESTED FOR TUBERCULOSIS.

Dr. Pierce, the City Veterinarian and Health Inspector, commenced taking specimens of milk from various dairies today for the purpose of testing the same for tubercles. He will report the result of these tests to the Board of Health at its next meeting.

Senator Davis Weaker.

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ST. PAUL, Nov. 23.—The official bulletin issued by the physicians of United States Senator Davis at noon was as follows:

"Senator Davis slept uninterruptedly about seven hours last night. Is not quite so strong this morning. Temperature, 99.5°; pulse, 112; respiration, 30."

She Struck an Attorney.

The case of Melinda Porter, charged with battering Attorney Ogleby on the 12th inst., was continued in the Police Court this morning until December 4th for trial by jury.

Continued for Sentence.

The case of Lewis Martensen, convicted of petty larceny, was again continued in the Police Court this morning until November 26th for sentence.

She Appeals the Case.

Kate Barrett, by her attorneys, B. McFadden and A. Boyer, has filed notice of appeal from the judgment of foreclosure rendered against her in the Superior Court.

RAILROAD MEN HAVE SETTLED ALL DEMANDS.

Manager Fillmore Acts in Harmony With the Committee.

Switchmen and Trainmen Now Satisfied With Wages.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Tribune says:

The conference between the grievance committee of the trainmen's organizations and Manager Fillmore is drawing to a close.

Manager Fillmore, on behalf of the company, agreed to a new schedule for yardmen yesterday, and the grievance committee, after a protracted session that lasted late into the evening, agreed to a compromise of the demands put forth on behalf of the trainmen.

The new schedule for yardmen is declared to be satisfactory to such of the switchmen as are members of the Order of Railway Conductors and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, but meets with some opposition from a minority body of switchmen who are not identified with those organizations and who recently served the company with a signed protest against the formulation of any wage schedule for them through their organizations.

They wanted to be dealt with individually.

Manager Fillmore, however, has accepted the showing made by the grievance committee that the great body of yardmen are identified with the trainmen's organizations and all unidentified switchmen will be required to accept the same schedule.

The difference between the committee and Manager Fillmore concerning desired modifications of the mileage schedule for trainmen have all been compromised by mutual concession, and it was authoritatively announced last evening that the new schedule would be drawn up and officially ratified today.

The trainmen asked for a reduced mileage on certain runs, which would have the effect of advancing the monthly wage of quite a number of trainmen. After a thorough discussion of the whole question a new schedule has been agreed upon which the trainmen say grants many concessions and will therefore be accepted.

He Can Pay Taxes.

Judge Greene granted permission today to Charles W. Palm, special administrator to the Heaton estate, to pay the taxes on property the deceased deeded to Mrs. Annette Leete, Cordelia Heaton and Luella Leach. The action is preliminary to filing suits to attack the validity of the transfers.

She Appeals the Case.

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He Charged Desertion.

Joseph August has sued Anita August for a divorce. He alleges his wife has deserted him.

He Struck an Attorney.

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DANGER TO THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

Prince Louis Napoleon to Wed a Russian Duchess.

Will Strengthen the Royalist Cause in France.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

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Prince Louis Napoleon to wed a Russian Duchess.

Aguinaldo Alive But Badly Wounded in the Stomach.

Junta Will Try Again to Send Arms to Filipinos.

HONGKONG JUNTA TO BE KICKED OUT.

Aguinaldo Alive But Badly Wounded in the Stomach.

Junta Will Try Again to Send Arms to Filipinos.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—United States Consul Wildman, says a World dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from St. Petersburg says:

The betrothal of Prince Louis Napoleon Bonaparte to Grand Duchess Helen, daughter of the Grand Duke Vladimir, is officially announced. It cannot fail to strengthen the Bonapartist cause in France, and correspondingly weaken the royalists.

Prince Louis, who has been serving for the last fifteen years in the Russian army, is a General of Cavalry, at the head of the crack regiment of the Czar's Lancers of the Guard. He has all along been treated at the court as a member of the Russian Imperial family circle and enjoys in a particular degree the friendship of the Czar.

The younger of the two sons of the late Prince Jerome Napoleon, who made his heir to his political rights, having died, inherited and disowned the elder son, Victor, his career appeals to the French people who have always had a weakness for the "soldier on horseback," whom they now find represented in the Russian cavalry officer. Prince Louis has long been attentive to the Grand Duchess Helen, a wayward Princess, who two years ago created a sensation by lifting the heir to the throne of Baden on the eve of the day appointed for the wedding, and who has since been credited with an infatuation for her cousin, Grand Duke Michael, younger brother and heir to the Czar.

Inasmuch as the orthodox Russian church strictly prohibits marriages between first cousins, the Duchess has now apparently made up her mind that the next best thing is to become a possible Empress of the French.

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